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SUBJECT: INVESTIGATION OF SOUTH KOREAN ACTIVITIES IN US:

ARRIVAL OF TONG-SUN PARK IN JAPAN

1. EMBASSY HAS LEARNED THAT TONG-SUN PARK ARRIVED IN TOKYO EVENING OCT 28 (TOKYO TIME). PARK'S FURTHER TRAVEL PLANS AND SCHEDULE ARE NOT YET CLEAR. EMBOFF HAS BEEN ASKED BY YOMIURI CORRESPONDENT WHETHER USG HAD APPROACHED GOJ ABOUT PARK'S PRESENCE IN JAPAN AND POSSIBLE "EXTRADITION" TO US, NOTING THAT OPPOSITION MEMBERS PLANNED TO RAISE THIS QUESTION IN DIET LATER TODAY. EMBOFF RESPONDED THAT HE HAD BEEN UNAWARE OF PARK'S ARRIVAL IN JAPAN AND HAD NO COMMENT TO MAKE.

2. COMMENT: NEWS ARTICLES OUT OF WASHINGTON ON CONTINUING USG INVESTIGATION OF POSSIBLE ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES BY ROK HAVE BEEN HEADLINES IN MAJOR TOKYO NEWSPAPERS DURING PAST WEEK. PARK'S PRESENCE IN JAPAN, HOWEVER TRANSITORY, CAN BE EXPECTED TO INCREASE PUBLIC INTEREST. REQUEST DEPARTMENT GUIDANCE ON EXPECTED PRESS INQUIRIES. END COMMENT.
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